## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)
Plaintiff,	) ) 8:18CR13
vs.	)
ROBERT E. SANFORD,	) ORDER
Defendant.	)

This matter is before the court on the Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [19]. Counsel needs additional time to pursue an investigation related to competency. For good cause shown,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the Motion to Continue Trial [19] is granted, as follows:

- 1. The jury trial now set for April 16, 2018, is continued to **June 4, 2018.**
- 2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between **today's date and June 4, 2018**, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B)(iv).

**DATED:** March 22, 2018.

**BY THE COURT:** 

s/ Susan M. Bazis United States Magistrate Judge